

Arts in Health Resource Sheet

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New Hampshire Resources

[Endowment for Health](#)

Statewide foundation improving health for New Hampshire citizens by building awareness, informing policy, and through grant making.

[Governor's Commission on Disability](#)

A State of New Hampshire agency that serves people with cross-disabilities, advises the Governor, Legislature, and other state agencies regarding disability-related compliance, and provides assistance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and other disability law compliance.

[Governors Covid-19 Equity Response Team](#)

On May 28, 2020, Governor Chris Sununu established the Governor's COVID-19 Equity Response Team to develop a recommended strategy and plan to address the disproportionate impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

[New Hampshire Alliance for Healthy Aging \(NHAHA\)](#)

Comprehensive network of organizations working across health-related fields and policies. Quarterly meeting in Concord provides opportunities to network and learn about initiatives across the field.

New Hampshire Arts in Health Network

A resource of the New Hampshire State Council on the Arts, the Arts in Health Network shares resources, research updates, and information about Arts in Health-related training and events via a listserv. Contact Lisa Burk-McCoy to subscribe.

[New Hampshire Healthy Aging Data Report](#)

Collection of data points on aging populations in NH communities.

[New Hampshire Public Health Association](#)

Statewide network focused on advocacy, education, and networking. Site includes a listing of state and local government, legislative and nonprofit health resources

New England Arts in Health Network

A networking and peer-exchange group of New England-based Arts in Health professionals, hosted by Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center in partnership with the National Organization for Arts in Health (NOAH). Contact Lisa Burk-McCoy for more information.

[University of New Hampshire Institute on Disability](#)

Research and programs that address a broad range of disability topics for people of all ages.

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National Resources

[Arts and Health Fact Sheet](#), National Endowment for the Arts

Brief list of resources and initiatives provided by the National Endowment for the Arts.

[Creative Aging Resource](#), Lifetime Arts

The first dedicated website offering research, media, case studies, and field experts for anyone working at the intersection of the arts, health, and aging.

[Forecast Toolkit](#) – List of resources supporting connections between the arts and public health.

[National Arts and Health Alliance](#), Americans for the Arts

Archive of national publications, webinar and training recordings, journal articles, and research abstracts pertaining to Arts in Health.

[National Initiative for Arts & Health in the Military](#)

National directory, reports, and publications to advance the policy, practice, and quality use of arts and creativity as tools for health in the military.

[National Organization for Arts in Health](#) (NOAH)

Connecting and convening arts and healthcare practitioners through conferences and member services.

[NEA Research Labs: Arts, Health, and Social/Emotional Well-Being](#)

Summary of Arts in Health research projects currently funded through the National Endowment for the Arts Research Labs program.

[Office of Accessibility](#), National Endowment for the Arts

Provides tips, planning guides, and workbooks to assist organizations in their efforts to make arts programming accessible.

[The Justice Arts Coalition](#)

National network providing information about and resources for people creating art in and around the correctional system. Includes a blog, national program database, and resource list.

[University of Florida, Center for Arts in Medicine](#)

Arts in Health research database, toolkits, and white papers.

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Research, Surveys and White Papers

[*Art & Well-Being: Toward a Culture of Health*](#), USDAC (2018)

[*Art, Health, and Well-being in America*](#), National Organization for Arts in Health (2017)

[*Art Strategies for Addressing the Opioid Crisis: Examining the Evidence*](#), National Endowment for the Arts (2020)

This report reviews and analyzes 20 years of evidence and highlights promising arts-based strategies in pain management and in treatment of substance use disorders.

[*Creating Healthy Communities through Cross Sector Collaborations*](#), University of Florida, Center for Arts and Medicine (2019)

[*Integrating the Arts and Healing*](#), New Hampshire Arts-in-Healthcare Survey Report (2013)

This report contains selected results and findings from the New Hampshire Arts-in-Healthcare Survey conducted in 2013. Created through a collaborative effort between the New Hampshire State Council on the Arts and Concord Hospital, the survey evaluated the variety, depth, outcomes, and funding of arts-in-health programs in the state of New Hampshire.

[*The Connection Between Art, Healing, and Public Health: A Review of Current Literature*](#), Heather Stuckey, DEd and Jeremy Nobel, MD (2011)

This review explores the relationship between engagement with the creative arts and health outcomes, specifically the health effects of music engagement, visual arts therapy, movement-based creative expression, and expressive writing.

[*Tip Sheet: Engaging People with Disabilities in Evidence-Based Programs*](#), National Council on Aging (2015)

What is the evidence on the role of the arts in improving health and well-being? A scoping review. World Health Organization (2019)

[Full Report](#)

[Summary Report](#)

[Fact Sheet](#)